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TIME TABLES.

Time of Arrival and Departure of Trains at Reno.

ARRIVES	TRAIN	DEPARTS
8:35 p. m.	No. 1, Eastbound Express	8:45 p. m.
9:30 a. m.	No. 3, Eastbound fast mail	8:10 a. m.
9:30 a. m.	No. 2, Westbound Express	8:30 a. m.
9:30 p. m.	No. 4, Westbound fast mail	8:30 p. m.
1:00 p. m.	No. 1, Virginia Express	8:15 a. m.
1:00 p. m.	No. 2, San Fran. Express	8:15 a. m.
1:40 a. m.	No. 3, Local Passenger	1:25 p. m.
4:15 p. m.	No. 4, Local Passenger	8:40 a. m.

Time of Arrival and Departure of Mails at Reno.

MAIL	ARRIVES	CLOSES
San Francisco, Sacramento and points	8:15 a. m.	8:00 p. m.
California and Oregon	8:05 p. m.	8:30 p. m.
Ogden, all Eastern points	8:15 p. m.	8:00 a. m.
Carson, Virginia and all	8:15 p. m.	8:00 a. m.
Susana and all points north	8:15 p. m.	8:00 a. m.

Buffalo Meadows and Sheephead mail arrives every Thursday at 4:15 P. M. and closes every Friday at 3:30 A. M.

T. looked pouch from Virginia and Carson arrives at 11:40 A. M.; mail for same closes at 1:30 P. M.

Postoffice Hours:

From 9:00 A. M. to 8 P. M. Sundays from 8 to 10 A. M.

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All classes of legitimate advertisements not exceeding six lines inserted in this column at 10 cents per week.

The Perfection Lamp Burner

Makes a kerosene lamp equal to an electric light. The users of kerosene lamps have been anxiously waiting for something that would brighten their lights and consume that unhealthy, disagreeable odor. Our representative will call, show the burner and explain its merits. Orders left at Christiansen & Nelson's store will receive attention.

2-27-w1 PACIFIC SUPPLY CO.

Free Entertainment.

Prof. Wm. Lewis will be in his studio in the new Investment Building where he will give away two beautiful oil paintings each evening this week. Free entertainment and tickets in the drawing free. The Capital Coffee Company pays for them.

2-28-w1

Lost.

A silver-tipped pencil engraved with the initials "A. J. M." The pencil is valued as a gift and if returned to this office a reasonable reward will be paid.

1-22-w1

For Rent.

House and barn for rent; good location and reasonable rent. Inquire of

2-19-tf MRS. F. M. PAYNE.

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- NOTIONS,
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Commercial Row, Reno, Nev.

TOSSED BY THE HURRICANE.

The Shorn "Colonel" and the Wrecked "Captain" Dine Together.

Two men who had been chums in a western town before a financial hurricane hit it met for the first time in years in a Sixth avenue eating house the other day. In the days of their prosperity one of them was a political lever and was called colonel. He had been on the governor's staff. The other in some way had acquired the title of captain. Both had front seats in every event of the town in which they had lived. The governor's ornament is now a plain bookkeeper in Broad street. The other man is a dry goods clerk.

After greetings, explanations and a few mournful references to perished delights, they had a combination meal, and if you don't know what that is you have never had any trouble, and any one who casts a shadow is worse than a heathen. When the meal was over, the two old friends walked out and stood for a few minutes under the splutter of an arched light. As they were parting the man who used to ride the big bay horse in the governor's parade, and who had commanded the populace of his town to stand back, said in a low, mournful tone:

"If you come to see me, don't call me colonel. Nobody knows me as colonel now. I am just an employee on a salary."

The arched light spluttered again as the little man replied in a squeaky, half bedroom voice:

"And if you come to see me just call me, 'Say, you.' That's what everybody calls me in the store."

"Well, goodbye, captain."

"So long, colonel."

It was the first time they had heard the titles in years and each walked away with a lighter step and lighter heart.—New York Sun.

DUTIES OF CHRISTIAN LIFE.

No Virtue In One's Daily Actions Unless It Is Established In The Soul.

"The obligations and duties of the Christian life are not all external," writes Cardinal Gibbons, pointing out a religious life to young men, in The Ladies' Home Journal. "They are mainly material and must proceed from the heart. There is no virtue in one's daily actions unless it be first established in the soul and is only an external expression of the soul's convictions or prolongation of heartfelt sentiments. Yet the external practice of Christian virtues and the performance of Christian duties pertain to the integrity, if not to the essential character, of the Christian life. The interior sentiments soon perish without external expression, as life and bodily powers become extinct without due and proper exercise or employment."

"However, as the external duties are not absolutely and under all circumstances essential, they vary both in number and frequency according to environments and opportunities. A business man cannot do all that a clergyman is expected to do, a man in trade not what a man in leisure can accomplish nor a man of the world all that is possible and easy to one who keeps himself from society. But all, no matter where, no matter what their engagements and secular pursuits, how little or how much time they can call their own, can and are obliged to perform daily acts of prayer and religion and accomplish many duties of virtue and charity. There is no condition of life which is incompatible with the dictates and principles and precepts of the Christian life."

A Mexican Custom on Good Friday.

Mrs. Sara Y. Stevenson contributes to The Century an article on "Maximilian's Empire," one of a series devoted to the French intervention in Mexico. In describing the scenes that followed the siege of Puebla Mrs. Stevenson says: It was a Mexican custom on Good Friday to burn Judas in effigy on the Plaza Mayor. Judas was a manikin made in the shape of the person who happened to be most unpopular at the time. It was quite admissible to burn Judas under different shapes, and sometimes these summary autos-da-fe were multiplied to suit the occasion and the temper of the people. At the same time rattles were sold on the streets and universally bought alike by children and adults, by rich and poor, to grind the bones of Judas, and the objectionable noise—second in hideousness only to that of our own sending off of fireworks on the Fourth of July—was religiously kept up all day. In the year of our Lord 1863 Judas was burned in Mexico on the Plaza Mayor under the shapes of General Forey, Napoleon III. and last, but not least, M. Dubois de Saligny, who especially was roasted with a will amid the wild execrations of the populace.

The Light Side of Nature.

Siddy—I wonder if we should find any babies, Katie, if we dug up these gooseberry bushes?

Katie—Babies don't come out of gooseberry bushes, Siddy.

Siddy—Well, where do they come from, then?

Katie—Why, from the big shops, of course. Haven't you seen printed over some of them, "Families supplied?"—Sketch.

Crazy to Go.

"Did Miss Flavilla seem pleased when you asked her to go to the theater?"

"Pleased? She wanted to keep the tickets for fear something might happen to me."—Chicago Record.

Early in the fifteenth century a Paris firm annually sent to other parts of Europe more than 1,000 dolls, dressed in the latest styles, to serve as models of fashion.

Out of all the European countries only Austria and Great Britain have the rule that all travelers on the roadway must keep to the left.

Blind-fold.

A woman has no right to "go

it blind" in matters of health. She has no right to shut her eyes to the plain facts of her physical being and the consequences of neglect. She has no right to be wretched and ill when she might be happy and free from pain.

Women who drag through life weighed down by some torturing, dragging weakness or disease of their sex are not doing their full duty to themselves. They are not taking the means which enlightened science affords them of being well and strong and capable.

These special complaints from which so many women suffer are not necessary. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription positively cures even the most severe and obstinate cases.

It is not a haphazard medicine. It is not a "cure-all." It is a scientific remedy devised by an educated and experienced specialist for the one purpose of curing the special diseases of women.

Tens of thousands of women have been restored to perfect health by this wonderful "Prescription." In many instances they were actually given up as hopeless by physicians and family doctors.

"I have taken both your 'Golden Medical Discovery' and 'Favorite Prescription' for chronic inflammation of the uterus and bladder," writes Mrs. M. A. Scott of Park Rapids, Hubbard Co., Minn. "I also had stomach trouble which was terribly distressing. I have been cured of all. I had suffered a mild misery for four years previous to taking your treatment, but began to feel the good effect at once."

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The Care of House Ferns.

In the house where ferns are kept induce by means of evaporation, syringing or spraying as much moisture to the air as possible, for they generally do not successfully withstand a dry, parching atmosphere. For the purpose of retaining moist air about the plant Wardian cases or fernaries are often used with good success or a glass bowl placed over the plant part of the time. It is well to bear in mind also that ferns, with the exception of the hardy upland sorts, grow in moist, shaded places. It is therefore essential that they never dry out and that they be kept in partial shade. It is not wise, however, to soak the plants daily, whether needed or not. When new fronds are unfurling, avoid placing the plant in a position where it will be exposed to the full power of the sunlight, as it will sometimes burn or blast the tender young fronds.—Women's Home Companion.

Rival Citizens.

Johnny's face was smeared with dirt and tears, there was a lump on his left cheek, and one knee projected through a jagged rent in his trousers leg. "Johnny, Johnny," exclaimed his mother, "have you been fighting again?" "Yep," he replied. "Me an that boy 'from New York had a scrap. He looks worse'n I do, too, you bet."

"You'll break my heart, you willful boy! What were you fighting about?"

"About the jography of Chicago. I said it hadn't any bluffs, an he said it was all bluff, an I chugged him."

Chicago Tribune.

Delicious Broiled Oysters.

Drain large, fat oysters, lay them out on a board and dry with a soft cheese-cloth. Dust lightly with salt and cayenne. Toast squares of bread. Arrange them neatly on the platter. Put the oysters in an oyster broiler and broil quickly over a clear fire, broiling first on one side about three minutes and then turning them on the other. Pour just a little warm water around the edges of the toast, arrange three oysters neatly on each piece, put over a little melted butter and serve at once.—Mrs. S. T. Borer in Ladies' Home Journal.

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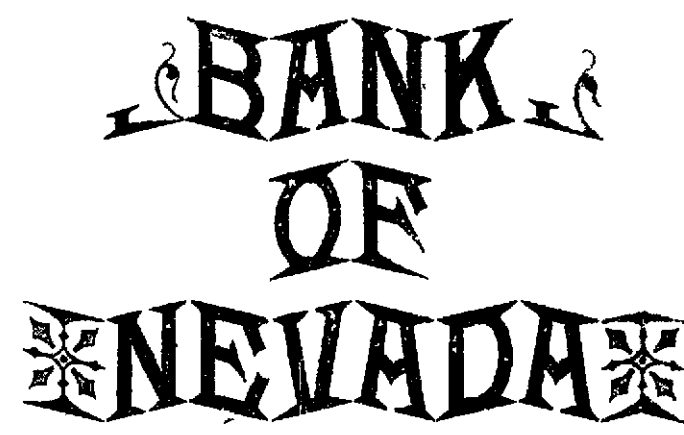
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Paid Up Capital - - - 150 000.

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OMAHA, NEBRASKA.

June 1st, to November 1st, 1898.

Nevada Commission,

COL. H. B. MAXSON, Vice-President of Nevada, Reno, Nevada.

EXPOSITION COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.

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FIFTEEN CENTS PER WEEK
Delivered by Carrier.

TUESDAY, MARCH 1, 1898.

BREVITIES.

C. T. Bliss of Carson was a passenger for California last evening.

Domestic Hot water Heater reduced to \$7.50 at Lange & Schmitt's. tf

Editor Hammel of the Wadsworth Dispatch is in town attending court.

Garden tools, poultry netting, paint and plumbing at Lange & Schmitt's. tf

Mrs. Robert Moore has returned from an extended visit to San Francisco.

Agate and granite were reduced to the price of tin ware at Lange & Schmitt's. tf

Read P. Andreuccetti's announcement in another column. He is at his old stand and ready for business.

Granite ware, in ware wash tubs and boilers and all kinds of cooking utensils. At Genesey and Savage. tf

Handsome window shades and trimmings of the very latest design at the Porteous Decorative Co.'s store. *tf

If you want a good range either steel or a cast iron or a domestic hot water heater. Call on Genesey and Savage. tf

Ticket No. 3, won the writing desk put up at raffle by Mrs. Marshall at Rosenthal and Armanco's last evening.

E. R. Dodge, ex-Mayor Davis of Oakland and Allen C. Bragg visited the Olinghouse mining district on Sunday.

Don't buy a new baby buggy, but get the old one repaired as good as new and in the latest style at the Bamboo store. *tf

W. D. Hardin of Steamboat has returned after several months visit with his mother and relatives at Arroyo Grande, California.

Universal stoves, ranges and steel ranges, the cheapest and best. Lange & Schmitt sole agents for ten years over 400 in use in Reno. tf

The Porteous Decorative Company has just received an immense stock of cheap wall paper in all grades and the very latest patterns. *tf

L. S. Bridges, D. H. Sisson, E. H. Proctor, R. Norris, E. W. Sommers, W. S. Bacon and Jack Sheehan of Wadsworth are in attendance on Court.

Sauer and Grob have some splendid home made soured pigs feet also a fine lot of hams and bacon. They have cured themselves and can recommend them.

For an excellent noonday lunch, a hot tamale or cold lunch at any reasonable hour as well as the latest fancy and mixed beverages call at Henry Riter's Elite.

Don't fail to attend the town improvement meeting to-night and bring a few ideas or suggestions along, should the report of the committee need any amending.

If a bottle of extra fine wine for table use or choice liquor for medicinal purposes is wanted, try H. J. Miller of the Pabst Agency. All orders filled carefully and promptly.

Thyres' daily lunches are always superior and his line of liquid refreshments cannot be excelled by the best of caterers. He now favors his patrons with hot soup every day.

The Washoe Lunch Counter is always prepared to serve the best of meals or lunches. Mr. Clausen has had long experience as a caterer and provides the best the market affords.

Little Wilson Thyres was taken quite suddenly ill on Sunday and suffered most excruciating pain for some hours. The trouble seems to be a complication of nervous and other disorders. He was a little easier last evening.

Frank Young is here from Cascade and will relieve Frank Jones, who goes to San Francisco for a week's visit. Mr. Young reports five feet of snow at Cascade, but says it is not the kind of snow that will remain very long and a shortage of water is anticipated.

Fred Morrill is prepared to repair bicycles and furnish extras of all descriptions. His shop is located at E. A. Morrill's harness shop, New Investment Building, Second street. Rambler and Ideal bicycles a specialty. Rambler, 1897 model, \$50; 1898 model, \$60. *2-25-tf.

There is little change in the war outlook. The investigation is still in progress and the Administration is awaiting developments. Reed, Hanna and McKinley are for peace, but the clamor of the people for a proper solution of the Maine episode is forcing the President and the various departments of the Government to prepare for any emergency that may arise. So far the Spanish Government maintains the position first assumed, viz., of injured innocence, but it is believed that Cuba will gain her independence.

I have just received a complete and well selected stock of genteel furnishing goods, underwear, overhairs, socks, suspenders, handkerchiefs, ties, etc., which I guarantee to be equal if not better than any in the town, which I will sell at prices that defy competition. My stock of domestic and imported cigars and tobaccos is complete in every particular, comprising such brands as the Nerve, Carl Dunder and Royal in the 5-cent goods, and El Belmont, Sanchez, Hays, De Vallens, Internations, Hotel Brunswick, General Arthur and many others in the imported goods. Call and be satisfied. Free employment office in connection with the store. tf A. NELSON.

CITY COUNCIL.

After Some Discussion, the Questions of Tax Levy, Bonds, etc., Were Postponed Until Next Monday.

The Board of City Council met in regular session last evening. All present except Councilmen Ruhe and Wells.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. Mr. Noyes moved that the special committee on Finance be requested to report at a special meeting to be called on March 7th for the purpose of making a tax levy for the year 1898. Action was temporarily postponed. The opinion of the Supreme Court in the case of A. G. Fletcher in regard to the constitutionality of the law incorporating the City of Reno, was read and placed on file.

A bill was presented by the Sheriff, and allowed covering the costs in the case of the City of Reno vs the Riverside Mill Company amounting to \$18.95. Mr. Osburn moved that the action of the Board at last meeting wherein special counsel be requested to present his bill for services, be reconsidered. Upon roll call, Mr. Osburn and Mr. Noyes voted, aye, and Mr. Ryland, no.

Messrs. Brooks of Hodgson & Co and Mott of Gillig, Mott & Co. appeared before the Board and gave information relative to the necessary preliminaries in establishing a pipe line also the cost of various sizes and qualities of pipe.

Mr. Powning spoke relative to making a levy for lighting the town. He offered 18 street lights at \$10 each and 25 at \$9 each or 6 or 8 at the regular rate of \$12 each per month. He quoted prices in other towns and believed the electric company was offering a reasonable figure for a service which the people should have. No action taken.

J. J. Becker appeared before the Board and asked that permission be granted to change the line of the Orr ditch in the northwestern part of town, also asked that the City pay cost of the change. Ordered laid over until next meeting.

Mr. Osburn moved that the Committee on Water and Lights be authorized to employ such engineers as will be necessary to survey and run a line from the proposed water site. Carried.

Mr. Fred Gould was called upon to inform the Board as to the feasibility of the project and the proposed preliminary survey. To a question from Mr. Noyes regarding a better proposition than the one in view, Mr. Gould replied that he could not give any data without making a proper investigation.

A resolution by Mr. Osburn, providing that the Council adjourn until Monday, March 7th, at 7:30 to consider the tax levy, the bonds and other matters was adopted.

Mr. Caffrey was called upon to give any information concerning light that he had at hand, but replied that he had nothing to offer at this time, other than to say that Mr. Powning's comparison in the prices of street lights were based on a charge for 2,000 candle power lights, this being the power furnished in the cities which Mr. Powning had named, while the Reno company only furnished a 1,200 candle power light. Mr. Caffrey claimed that the superior service of a higher power light must as a matter of course demand a higher rate.

The Board now adjourned.

A Novel Exhibit.

Satter's mill, near where Marshall discovered the first nugget of gold, will be produced built of redwood logs, at the Trans-Mississippi exposition at Omaha. This structure will be an identical representation of Satter's mill at Coloma as it was on January 24, 1848. The ground surrounding the mill will be constructed in the form of an arch, the two massive supports will consist of boulders and earth thrown together at random, in a niche hollowed in one support will be a figure representing spring; in the corresponding support will stand summer. Hard by the mill the two gigantic pines that stood by Satter's mill will be seen, and the remainder of the summit will be covered with earth grass and shrubbery. The tail race from the mill, containing the exact spot of the discovery, also will be portrayed. On the left hand corner will stand life-size figures of an Indian, a Mexican and a United States soldier; on the right hand corner a sailor, a miner, a merchant and a pruner. Large redwood trees and timbers are to be brought from the mountains for the structure, in order to give as much the appearance of the original mill as skill can possibly make it.

Advertised Letters.

The following is a list of the letters remaining uncalled for in the Reno, Nevada, postoffice for the week ending March 1, 1898:

GENTLEMEN.

Avansino, John
Beck, H. S.
Brenan, Thos
Blum, Ed
Bowers, Chas M
Capputi, Ernesto
Coleman, Fred
Chamberlain, C
Dysert, D M
Elaherty, M T
Gellott, R

LADIES.

Boyd, Mrs A E
Gardrell, Mrs M
Peterson, Miss B
Simons, Miss R

H. P. KRAUS, P. M.

District Court.

The District Court was occupied yesterday in hearing the case of Sisson, et al., vs. Norris and Sommers. The case involves the legal location of a claim at the Olinghouse mining district.

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FROM SEATTLE.

What the Prospects are for a boom-tid Renotes heard from.

SEATTLE, February 21, 1898.

EDITOR STATE JOURNAL.—In a former letter I stated that there was a probability of a repetition of the occurrences experienced in the early days of San Francisco history and feel certain that my prognostications were correct and have not the least doubt, that before six months shall have passed, that a vigilance committee will be in control. House-breaking, holding up of persons on back streets, and petit larceny are of daily occurrence and it is scarcely safe for a pedestrian to be on the street after dark. Such heterogeneous crowds as fill up the sidewalks of the principal streets remind one of the dark slums of New York or London. From every State of the Union, a class of ne'er-do-wells arrive on every train and steamer and though the majority may be bound for the gold fields, a great number that might well be spared, are making this city their temporary home. You read of course about the disastrous shipwrecks that have occurred within the past few weeks and well might such things be for any old, semi-dilapidated craft which can be gotten possession of by shipping owners is fitted up for passengers, crowded to its fullest capacity and placed in control of men unacquainted with the rugged northwestern coast. That such was the case with the lost vessel, Clara Nevada, but few doubt. So I say to Nevada people who may have the Klondike fever: "Take passage on no vessel not owned and controlled by Goodhall, Perkins & Co." So much in the way of advice.

I am pleased to learn that the dear old gentleman, Senator Bill, is doing so much for the poor and deserving people of his beloved State. What a loss it will be when the death angel forces him away from his wandering constituents.

By the way, the Populists seem to have gained another victory in local affairs. You have no doubt read of the fusion between the Democrats and Silver Republicans; the nominations for city offices have been made and the election occurs on the 8th proximo; the straight out Repubs seem to have almost conceded a coming defeat.

I was much pleased at meeting my old time Carson friend, Hon. Ed Reynolds, who, with his wife, arrived here two weeks ago. Mrs. R., as perhaps you know, is sister to the late Dr. Smart, and is staying at her sister's home here. They purpose starting for the north next month. Frank Chapman, a long time in the employ of the V. & T., is here from the east and will return to Reno. George, son of Jake Lewis of Wadsworth, and Arthur Donnelly, the base ball hero, are also here. Both are employed. I will not trespass longer this time, and conclude with my former advice: If making a living at home, stay there. Would I were back in old sagaland. Yours, DEACON.

Charles Boscowitz Dead.

Charles Boscowitz, one of the best known commercial men on the coast, died at San Francisco yesterday. He has been in poor health for some months, but a short time ago was thought to be rapidly recovering and expected to soon be on the road again, but he was taken with a relapse and rapidly grew worse until death relieved his sufferings.

Mr. Boscowitz was an enthusiastic member of the Grand Army of the Republic and many will remember his activity in the Fourth of July celebration here a few years ago when the festivities continued for three days. He was the originator of that celebration and helped materially in carrying it out. He was always genial and never passed a Nevada day without a cordial greeting. His death was caused by heart trouble and other complications.

The Viavi Work.

In no way can we do more good than in restoring the sick to health. This Viavi will do, if intelligently used. Have you stomach trouble? Use our Tabloids.

Have you piles? Use our Sano. Have you catarrh? Use our Catarrh Remedy.

Are you weak and all run down? Use Viavi. Come and see me and I will fully explain the use of all our remedies.

Mrs. B. E. HUNTER.

Fourth street.

A Lost Man.

M. M. Chandler of 91 Concord St., Lawrence, Mass., wants information of the whereabouts or any information that will tend to the location of Chas. E. Chandler. When last heard from, some fifteen years ago, he was in the lumbering business near Reno. Matters of importance will be communicated to him if he can be found.

MEMORIES.

Once more, once more, my Mary, dear,
As I by that lone stream
Where first within thy timid ear
I breathed love's burning dream.
The birds we loved still tell their tale
Of music on an evening spray,
And still the wild rose decks the vale,
But thou art far away.

In vain thy vanished form I seek
By wood and stream and dell,
And tears of anguish bathe my cheek
Where tears of rapture fell,
And yet beneath these wildwood bowers
Dense thoughts my soul employ,
For in the memories of past hours
There is a mournful joy.

Upon the air thy gentle words
Around me seem to thrill,
Like sounds upon the wind harp's chords
When all the winds are still,
Or like the low and soul-like swell
Of that wild spirit song
Which haunts the hollow of the bell
When its sad chime is done.

I seem to hear thee speak my name
In sweet, low murmur now,
I seem to feel thy breath of flame
Upon my cheek and brow,
On my cold lips I feel thy kiss,
Thy heart to mine is laid—
Alas that such a dream of bliss
Like other dreams must fade!
—G. D. Fronties in New York Ledger.

A Pertinent Question.

Old Aunt Dinah was a colored woman with a remarkably strong voice who would sing and cry "glory" with such vigor as to be heard above all the rest of the congregation, but she was of an unpleasantly "saying" disposition. It was the custom at the missionary meetings which she attended to take up the collection during the singing of the hymn "Fly abroad, thou mighty gospel," in the midst of which Aunt Dinah always threw back her head, closed her eyes and sang away at the top of her lungs until the plate had been passed. The collector, who was an old man of plain speech, observed this habit, and one evening when he came to her seat he surveyed her with countenance and then said bluntly, "Look a-bean, Aunt Dinah, what's de good ob yo' a-singin an a-singin 'Fly abroad, thou mighty gospel,' ef yo' dean' gib nuffin to make her fly?"—Exchange.

A New Firm.

Messrs. McFarlin and Porter have purchased the business of Chas. Lake and have taken a lease of the building for six years. These gentlemen propose to restock the store, putting in a complete stock of stationery, blank books of all descriptions, cigars and tobaccos and general novelties. Electrical supplies will be a specialty and anything in this line will be furnished as well as the labor of construction. The central office of the telephone system will remain there as formerly, but a more perfect service will be given subscribers. The new firm will take immediate possession and in a few days will commence receiving their new stock.

Ready to Report.

At a public meeting, called at the request of a number of citizens for the purpose of listening to an address by Hon. Francis G. Newlands on the subject of "Town Improvement," held on Wednesday, November 24, 1897, in pursuance of a resolution, a committee was appointed by the chairman to consider ways and means and report at some future day on the best methods to be pursued in carrying out the suggestions of Mr. Newlands. This committee is now ready to report, and a meeting is hereby called at the Court-house on the evening of March 1 (Tuesday), 1898, for the purpose of hearing the report.

W. WEBSTER,
Chairman of Citizen's Meeting.

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Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used by millions of mothers for their children when teething. It disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with pain of cutting teeth send at once and get a bottle of Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for children teething. It will soothe the poor little sufferer immediately. Depend upon it mothers there is no mistake about it. It cures Diarrhoea regulates the Stomach and Bowels, cures Wind Colic, softens the gums, reduces Inflammation and gives Tone and Energy to the whole system. Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for children teething is pleasant to the taste and the prescription of one of the oldest and best emale physicians and nurses in the United States. Price 25 cents a bottle. Sold by all druggists throughout the world. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup."

Inventory Clearance Sale by S. Emrich. Finding considerable of an over stock I have concluded before receiving spring goods to make a thorough Clearance Sale and will offer for this purpose a remarkable reduction in prices without exception, of my entire stock. Although all merchandise is generally advanced, I do not find it advisable to carry over any goods, ever so stable, this sale therefore will be quite a saving to the purchaser and I would invite an early call. S. EMRICH. *tf

Again At His Store.

P. Andreuccetti has purchased his old business on North Virginia street from J. L. Eason and will again carry a selected stock of family groceries. Fresh vegetables and fruits in season will be a specialty and he will be pleased to see his old patrons as well as new customers. On Monday next he will receive a lot of fresh vegetables and all orders for same will be promptly filled. Orders by telephone will also receive prompt attention. St*

Company C Swears in Twenty New Members.

Company C, N. N. G., met last night and twenty new members were sworn in and it is expected that by the meeting to be held next Monday night, the membership will reach at least seventy-five. The new members are enthusiastic and the prospects are now flattering that Company C will be re-established on a solid footing that will assure its permanency.

Mrs. Isabella Wing Lake will lecture in the Baptist Church this evening at 7:30. Subject, "Our Calling." The lady is a fine speaker and should be heard by all who can possibly attend.

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Grand Clearance Sale!

Finding myself entirely overstocked with FALL AND WINTER GOODS, consisting of

Men and Boys' Clothing,

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Boots and Shoes,

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I shall offer Extraordinary Inducements and will Sacrifice my Entire Line at

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This Sale is to continue until April 1st, at which time I expect to see all of my shelves empty to receive one of the largest assortment of Spring and Summer Good ever placed on the market.

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CHAS. A. COFFIN, D. D. S.,
—DENTIST—
OFFICE—Investment Building over C. J. Brooks' store, Virginia street, Reno, Nevada, aug81f

S. C. GIBSON, M. D.,
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON,
Obstetrician and Gynecologist.
OFFICE—Buroka Block, Virginia street.
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WM. WEBSTER,
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OFFICE—First National Bank Building, Nevada.

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Within the next sixty days following the date of this notice protests or contests against the claim of said State of Nevada to any tract or sub-division described in the list, on the ground that the same is more valuable for mineral than agricultural purposes, will be received and noted by the Register and Receiver of the United States Land Office at Carson City, Nevada, for report to the General Land Office at Washington, D. C.

The following are the sub-divisions described, to-wit: SW 1/4 of NW 1/4, Sec. 14, T. 24 N. R. 18 E. M. D. B. & M. — 80 acres.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE State of Nevada, under the Act of Congress approved June 16, 1880 (21 Stats. 287), has filed in the United States Land Office at Carson City, Nevada, List No. 187 of lands selected under said Act, and has applied for a patent for said lands; that a part of said list is open to the public for inspection, and a copy thereof, by descriptive sub-divisions, has been posted in a convenient place in said United States Land Office for the inspection of all persons interested and the public generally.

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The following are the sub-divisions described, to-wit: SW 1/4 of NW 1/4, Sec. 21, T. 23 N. R. 18 E. M. D. B. & M. — 80 acres.

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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

STATE LAND OFFICE, CARSON CITY, NEVADA, December 17, 1897.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE State of Nevada, under the Act of Congress approved June 16, 1880 (21 Stats. 287), has filed in the United States Land Office at Carson City, Nevada, List No. 184 of lands selected under said Act, and has applied for a patent for said lands; that a part of said list is open to the public for inspection, and a copy thereof, by descriptive sub-divisions, has been posted in a convenient place in said United States Land Office for the inspection of all persons interested and the public generally.

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The following are the sub-divisions described, to-wit: SW 1/4 of SE 1/4, Sec. 9, T. 24 N. R. 18 E. M. D. B. & M. — 40 acres.

A. C. PRATT, State Land Register of the State of Nevada. Date of first insertion, December 19, 1897.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

STATE LAND OFFICE, CARSON CITY, NEVADA, December 17, 1897.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE State of Nevada, under the Act of Congress approved June 16, 1880 (21 Stats. 287), has filed in the United States Land Office at Carson City, Nevada, List No. 184 of lands selected under said Act, and has applied for a patent for said lands; that a part of said list is open to the public for inspection, and a copy thereof, by descriptive sub-divisions, has been posted in a convenient place in said United States Land Office for the inspection of all persons interested and the public generally.

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The following are the sub-divisions described, to-wit: SW 1/4 of SE 1/4, Sec. 8, T. 24 N. R. 18 E. M. D. B. & M. — 80 acres.

A. C. PRATT, State Land Register of the State of Nevada. Date of first insertion, December 19, 1897.

ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

SPANISH SPRINGS DITCH COMPANY—Location of ditch, Washoe county, Nevada—Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the Board of Trustees of the above named company, held on the 12th day of February, 1898, an assessment of two (2) dollars per share was levied upon each and every share of the capital stock of the company, payable immediately in United States gold coin to R. S. Osburn, Secretary, at the Bank of Nevada, in Reno, Nevada. Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on

The 8th Day of March, 1898, Shall be deemed delinquent, and will be advertised for sale at public auction, and unless previously paid will be sold by the Secretary of said company at his office on Tuesday, the 14th day of April, 1898, at 2 o'clock P. M. of said day, to pay such delinquent assessments, together with the cost and expenses of sale.

By order of the Board of Trustees, R. S. OSBURN, Secretary, No. 20-10d

ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

SOUTH SIDE IRRIGATION CANAL COMPANY—Location of canal, Washoe county, Nevada—Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the Board of Trustees of the above named company, held on the 28th day of December, 1897, an assessment (No. 80) of one (\$1.00) dollar per share was levied upon each and every share of the capital stock of the company, payable immediately in United States gold coin to John B. Williams, Secretary, at his office in Reno, Nevada. Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on

The 5th Day of March, 1898, Shall be deemed delinquent, and will be advertised for sale at public auction, and unless previously paid will be sold by the Secretary of said company at his office on Tuesday, the 14th day of April, 1898, at 2 o'clock P. M. of that day, to pay such delinquent assessments, together with the cost and expenses of sale. By order of the Board of Trustees, JOHN B. WILLIAMS, Secretary, Reno, Nevada, January 25, 1898.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

THIS IS TO NOTIFY ALL PARTIES interested that I have purchased Mr. Stimpert's interest and good will in the business of Miller & Stimpert covering the Pabst Agency at Reno. All liabilities against the former partnership from the date assumed by me and all debts due the firm are likewise payable to me

H. J. MILLER, Reno, Nevada, January 21, 1898.

SUMMONS.

IN THE SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT Court of the State of Nevada, in and for Washoe county, The State of Nevada sends to M. T. Chappell, greeting: You are hereby required to appear in an action commenced against you as defendant by George D. Winters, plaintiff in the Second Judicial District Court of the State of Nevada, in and for the County of Washoe, and answer the complaint therein within ten days after the service on you of this summons (exclusive of day of service), if served in said county, or twenty days if served out of said county, but within said District, and in all other cases forty days; or judgment by default will be taken against you according to the prayer of said complaint. The action is brought to recover against you a judgment and decree respecting certain lands situated in the county of Washoe, Nevada, which lands are described as follows, to-wit: South half of the southeast quarter and south half of the southwest quarter of section three (3) south half of the southeast quarter and south half of the southwest quarter of section four (4), township twenty-four north range nineteen east, Mount Diablo base and meridian, containing three hundred and twenty acres, according to the United States survey of said lands, and said lands are decreed to be sold to the plaintiff, and the proceeds of said sale to be used for the purchase of said lands, also all moneys paid out and used as costs in connection with the purchase of said lands, also because of the fact that said lands were purchased by you for the plaintiff, and for him only, as per agreement made at the time of purchase of said lands by you for plaintiff, and on the further ground that plaintiff has for fourteen years last past paid the taxes on said lands, and has had for said term the exclusive use and possession of said lands and property for said term of fourteen years, and further, on the ground that his claim of ownership and possession of said lands has been for the last fourteen years peaceable and uninterrupted by any claim of others. All of which will more fully appear from the complaint, which is on file in the office of the Clerk of said court, at Reno, in said county, and to which you are especially referred. And you are further notified that if you fail to appear and answer said complaint, the said plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal at Reno, this thirty-first day of January, A. D. 1898.

W. WEBSTER, Attorney for Plaintiff

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

STATE LAND OFFICE, CARSON CITY, NEV., February 15, 1898.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE State of Nevada, under the Act of Congress approved June 16, 1880 (21 Stats. 287), has filed in the United States Land Office at Carson City, Nevada, List No. 213 of lands selected under said Act, and has applied for a patent for said lands; that a part of said list is open to the public for inspection, and a copy thereof, by descriptive sub-divisions, has been posted in a convenient place in said United States Land Office for the inspection of all persons interested and the public generally.

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The following are the sub-divisions described, to-wit: SW 1/4 of NE 1/4, and SE 1/4 of SE 1/4, Sec. 10, T. 17 N. R. 19 E. M. D. B. & M. — 80 acres.

State Land Register of the State of Nevada. Date of first insertion, February 17, 1898.

ANNUAL MEETING.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE stockholders of the North Star Gold Mining Company will be held at its office in Reno, Nevada, on

Wednesday, the 2d day of March, 1898, At 2 o'clock P. M. of said day for the purpose of electing a Board of Trustees for the ensuing year and for such other business as may come before the meeting.

By order of the Board of Trustees, J. H. S. GILSON, Secretary February 15, 1898.

Truckee Lodge, No. 14, I. O. O. F.

TRUCKEE LODGE, NO. 14, I. O. O. F., will meet in their new hall, located in Clough & Crosby's building, Second street, Reno, Nevada, every Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. Personal attendance of members is requested. Sojourning brothers in good standing are cordially invited to attend.

EDWARD WILLS, N. G. PHIL JACOBS Recording Secretary.

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In 1818 a knife was made at Messrs. Travis & Son's, Manchester, containing three blades, buttonhook, saw, punch, screwdriver, box, corkscrew, hook and gimlet, two phlemons, a species of lancet, picker and two more lancets with a ring at the head. The knife, we learn, was only eleven-sixteenths of an inch long and weighed 1 pennyweight 14 grains. At this end of the century Sheffield can boast of a dozen pairs of shears, each so minute that they altogether weigh less than half a grain, if report speaks true.

Of examples of microscope writing there is no end, but one of the most famous is mentioned by Pliny, who said that Cicero had once seen Homer's "Iliad" in a nutshell. In order to prove the truth of this a French writer named Huet experimented in the presence of the dauphin, whose tutor he was in 1670. He first showed that a piece of sheepskin 10 by 8 inches could be folded up to fit the shell of a walnut, and then proceeded to prove that he could get 250 stanzas of 80 verses to a stanza on each side of the paper, or 7,500 verses on each side. Of the paintings in miniature Carol van Mandor, the sixteenth century painter and historian, quotes the landscape painted by Lucas van Heere's wife. This work of art represented a mill with sails bent, the miller appearing as if mounting the stairs loaded with a sack. A cart and horse were seen upon the terrace upon which the mill was fixed, and on the road several peasants were discerned. The whole was perfectly distinct and accurately finished, and yet so minute that it could be covered with one grain of corn. Surely that most microscopic artist, M. Jan van Beere, must be descended from the fair painter of that extraordinary work of art.—London Standard.

Her Explanation. "This building," said the little city girl, who was taking her little country cousin around and showing her the sights, "is called the half orphan asylum. They intended to make a whole asylum out of it, but they found they didn't have money enough, I expect."—Chicago Tribune.

Man at His Word. "Have a care, oh, my daughters," saith the wise woman, "how thou takest man at his word when he speaketh concerning himself! He glories in his strength and vaunteth it before his fellows and most of all before thee, but he would be handled as a fragile piece of bric-a-brac."—Womankind.

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A tiny vessel has been made of late years by an Italian jeweler who came into possession of a pearl that nature had caused to take upon itself the shape and contour of a boat. A sail of beaten gold studded with diamonds, a binnacle light of ivory complete the structure, which weighs less than an ounce all told. We recently saw it stated that the smallest steam engine in the world is one of an upright pattern, made of silver and gold and resting on a 25 cent goldpiece. The diameter of the cylinder is one forty-eighth part of an inch; stroke, one thirty-second of an inch; weight, one eighth of a grain; bore of cylinder, .3125 of a square inch. The engine can be worked either by steam or compressed air, and—oh, shade of Peter Ramus—the balance wheel of one-third of an inch diameter is said to make 1,760 revolutions per minute.

In 1818 a knife was made at Messrs. Travis & Son's, Manchester, containing three blades, buttonhook, saw, punch, screwdriver, box, corkscrew, hook and gimlet, two phlemons, a species of lancet, picker and two more lancets with a ring at the head. The knife, we learn, was only eleven-sixteenths of an inch long and weighed 1 pennyweight 14 grains. At this end of the century Sheffield can boast of a dozen pairs of shears, each so minute that they altogether weigh less than half a grain, if report speaks true.

Of examples of microscope writing there is no end, but one of the most famous is mentioned by Pliny, who said that Cicero had once seen Homer's "Iliad" in a nutshell. In order to prove the truth of this a French writer named Huet experimented in the presence of the dauphin, whose tutor he was in 1670. He first showed that a piece of sheepskin 10 by 8 inches could be folded up to fit the shell of a walnut, and then proceeded to prove that he could get 250 stanzas of 80 verses to a stanza on each side of the paper, or 7,500 verses on each side. Of the paintings in miniature Carol van Mandor, the sixteenth century painter and historian, quotes the landscape painted by Lucas van Heere's wife. This work of art represented a mill with sails bent, the miller appearing as if mounting the stairs loaded with a sack. A cart and horse were seen upon the terrace upon which the mill was fixed, and on the road several peasants were discerned. The whole was perfectly distinct and accurately finished, and yet so minute that it could be covered with one grain of corn. Surely that most microscopic artist, M. Jan van Beere, must be descended from the fair painter of that extraordinary work of art.—London Standard.

Her Explanation. "This building," said the little city girl, who was taking her little country cousin around and showing her the sights, "is called the half orphan asylum. They intended to make a whole asylum out of it, but they found they didn't have money enough, I expect."—Chicago Tribune.

Man at His Word. "Have a care, oh, my daughters," saith the wise woman, "how thou takest man at his word when he speaketh concerning himself! He glories in his strength and vaunteth it before his fellows and most of all before thee, but he would be handled as a fragile piece of bric-a-brac."—Womankind.



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